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News release on Occidental Chemical settlement attracts media coverage. The Philadelphia Inquirer, Associated Press and Pottstown Mercury were among news media giving coverage to EPA's cost-recovery settlement with current and former operators of the Occidental Chemical Corporation Superfund Site in Montgomery County, Pa. Under the settlement, Occidental Chemical Corporation (OxyChem), Bridgestone Americas Tire Operations and Glenn Springs Holdings, Inc have agreed to pay \$2.1 million in past cleanup costs for the site and also agreed also assume responsibility for all future cleanup costs. (Roy Seneca 814-5567)
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Followup media coverage on Dimock continues. Local and national media continue to provide detailed coverage on EPA's decision to perform water sampling at 61 homes in Dimock, Pa. Television crews from local stations in Pennsylvania and New York were on hand to cover the water being delivered to residents and the beginning of sampling from some of the homes. Media coverage this week also focused on comments and a letter to EPA from Cabot Oil and Gas that criticized EPA's decision to conduct more sampling. Along with coverage from local newspapers and television, several investigative news websites are reporting daily on new developments and providing commentary. (Roy Seneca 814-5567 and Terri White 814-5523)

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